

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2004, Americans from all backgrounds will come together in their communities to take a Stand For Children and renew their community's commitment to improving the quality of our children's lives by building the voice and vision of all children; and

WHEREAS, Stand for Children Day will be celebrated on Sunday, March 7, 2004 at Riverwalk/Esplanade Park and the Museum of Discovery and Science in downtown Fort Lauderdale at 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM, and

WHEREAS, caring for children must be our families', our community's and our nation's first priority; and

WHEREAS, on Stand For Children Day and beyond, families, members of religious congregations, schools, community-based organizations, businesses and political and cultural groups will join together as a local and national community to recognize our children's unmet needs and re-dedicate ourselves to addressing them; and

WHEREAS, this commitment must be at the local level, where children and families live and work and have the potential to thrive, and where all citizens, working together, can make a difference in our children's lives.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie urge all citizens to support this day by taking part in local Stand for Children activities and by dedicating ourselves to the task of improving the health and quality of life for all our children from this day forward and hereby proclaim March 7, 2004 as;

“STAND FOR CHILDREN DAY”

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 3rd day of March, 2004.

Tom Truex, Mayor

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